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For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF

MANUFACTURING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

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In response to the election requirement dated August 13, 2004, Applicants elect without traverse Group II, Claims 7-22, drawn to a method of making a semiconductor device, classified in class 438, subclass 216.

Accordingly, examination on the merits of Claims 7-22 is believed to be in order and an early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

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